

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

MARCIA WELLS and TEENA ACREE,
individually & as Co-Special Administrators
of the Estate of Byron Lee Williams; et al.
Plaintiff(s),

vs.

CITY OF LAS VEGAS; CLARK
COUNTY; LAS VEGAS
METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPT.; et al.
Defendant(s).

Case #2:21-cv-01346

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

Benjamin L. Crump, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

Ben Crump Law, PLLC

(firm name)

with offices at 122 S. Calhoun Street,
(street address)

Tallahassee, Florida, 32301,
(city) (state) (zip code)

(850) 224-2020, court@bencrump.com.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by
M. Wells & T. Acree, individually & as Co-Special Administrators of the Estate of Byron Lee Williams;
T. Lewis-Stevenson; G. Lewis; R. Williams; & D. Lewis to provide legal representation in connection with
[client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good standing of the bars of said Courts.

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner, nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

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1 6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give
2 particulars if ever denied admission):

3 None.

6 7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

7 The Florida Bar, The American Bar Association, The National Bar Association, the Tallahassee
8 Barristers Association, and the American Association of Justice.

10 8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2
11 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

12 Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
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14 None.

19 (If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

20 9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the
21 State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same
22 extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

23 10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of
24 the members of the bar of this court.

25 11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to
26 practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
 2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

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 4 STATE OF Florida }
 5 COUNTY OF Leon }

BCP

Petitioner's signature

7 Benjamin L. Crump, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
 8 That the foregoing statements are true.

BCP

Petitioner's signature

10 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

11 25th day of July, 2021.

J. L.

Notary Public or Clerk of Court



16 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO**
 17 **THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

18 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner
 19 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Patrick C. McDonnell,
 20 (name of local counsel)
 21 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the
 22 above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of
 23 said designated Nevada counsel is:

23 2200 Paseo Verde Parkway, Suite 160,
 24 (street address)

24 Henderson, Nevada, 89052,
 25 (city) (state) (zip code)

26 (702) 731-2333, patrick@michaelsonlaw.com
 27 (area code + telephone number) (Email address)


1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.
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5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**
6

7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Patrick C. McDonnell as
8 his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.
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10 
11 (party's signature)

12 MARCIA WELLS
13 (type or print party name, title)

14 
15 (party's signature)

16 MARCIA WELLS, AS CO-SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR
17 OF THE ESTATE OF BRIAN LEE WILLIAMS, DECEASED
18 (type or print party name, title)

19 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

20 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

21 
22 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

23 13188 patrick@michaelsonlaw.com
24 Bar number Email address

25 **APPROVED:**

26 Dated: this _____ day of _____, 20____.

27 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

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10 
(party's signature)

11 TEENA ACREE

12 (type or print party name, title)

13 
(party's signature)

14 TEENA ACREE, M Co-SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR OF
15 THE ESTATE OF BRIAN LEE WILLIAMS, DECEASED
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17 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

18 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

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20 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

21 13188

22 Bar number

patrick@michaelsonlaw.com

Email address

23 **APPROVED:**

24 Dated: this _____ day of _____, 20____.


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26 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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12 (party's signature)
13 Tina Lewis-Stevenson
14 (type or print party name, title)
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16 (party's signature) _____
17 (type or print party name, title) _____

18 **CONSENT OF DESIGNATEE**

19 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident ~~designated~~ counsel in this case

20 
21 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature
22 13188 Patrick C. McDonnell
23 Bar number Email address
24

25 APPROVED:

26 Dated: this _____ day of _____, 20____

27 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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8 his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.
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10 [Signature]
11 (party's signature)

12 Gwendolyn Lewis
13 (type or print party name, title)

14 [Signature]
15 (party's signature)

16 Robyn Williams
17 (type or print party name, title)

18 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

19 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

20 [Signature]
21 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

22 13188 patrick@michaelsonlaw.com
23 Bar number Email address

24 **APPROVED:**


25 Dated: this _____ day of _____, 20__.

26 _____
27 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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11 (party's signature)
12 Dewain Lewis
13 (type or print party name, title)

14 (party's signature)
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16 (type or print party name, title)

17 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

18 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

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23 APPROVED:

24 Dated: August 11, 2021.

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26 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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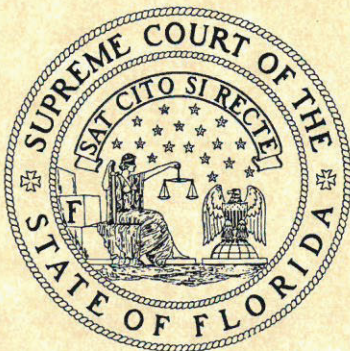
Supreme Court of Florida

Certificate of Good Standing

I JOHN A. TOMASINO, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Florida, do hereby certify that

BEN CRUMP

was admitted as an attorney and counselor entitled to practice law in all the Courts of the State of Florida on JANUARY 18, 1996, is presently in good standing, and that the private and professional character of the attorney appear to be good.



*WITNESS my hand and the Seal of the
Supreme Court of Florida at Tallahassee,
the Capital, this June 7, 2021.*

[Signature]
Clerk of the Supreme Court of Florida



On behalf of JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals,
the District of Columbia Bar does hereby certify that

Benjamin Lloyd Crump

was duly qualified and admitted on September 25, 2018 as an attorney and counselor entitled to
practice before this Court; and is, on the date indicated below, a(n)
ACTIVE member in good standing of this Bar.

In Testimony Whereof,
I have hereunto subscribed my
name and affixed the seal of this
Court at the City of
Washington, D.C., on July 26,
2021.

Julio A. Castillo

JULIO A. CASTILLO
Clerk of the Court

Issued By: 
District of Columbia Bar Membership

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memberservices@dcbar.org.

Supreme Court of Tennessee
Certificate of Good Standing

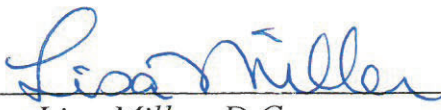
*I, James M. Hivner, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee,
do hereby certify that*

Benjamin Lloyd Crump

*is a licensed and practicing attorney of the Courts of this State, having been
admitted to practice on February 26, 2020, and is presently in good standing. The
Supreme Court is the Court of last resort in Tennessee.*

*In testimony whereof, I have set my hand and affixed the seal of the Court on
this the 29th day of July, 2021.*

James M. Hivner
Clerk of the Supreme Court of Tennessee

By: 
Lisa Miller, D.C.